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OPTIMIZING DATA LOOKUP

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Sir:

Prior to the calculation of fees, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 25 as follows:

A1 25. The optimization method according to claim 23,
characterized in that said at least one service belongs to the
group comprising:

simplified services for accessing information other than
that contained in said page,
simplified services for accessing search engines,
simplified services for accessing advanced functions of a
navigator comprised in the terminal,
services for monitoring external events, and
simplified access to at least one service available by hand
on the Internet and which requires at least that data
be entered.